

IA VALLEY BANK IS ROBBED

Hopkinsville Robbers Blow Safe and Get Several Thousand Dollars.

The Fredonia Valley Bank at Fredonia, Caldwell county, was entered by burglars Monday night. After forcing the safe, which was an old-fashioned one, they made a safe haul with between \$7,000 and \$8,000.

The telephone wires leading out of the town were cut and the town cut off from communication with the outside world.

A horse and buggy belonging to W. H. Jones, ex-Representative from Caldwell county, was also stolen.

The robbers were evidently old hands, for they blew the vault door, the safe in the vault and even the burglar vault. Bloodhounds were taken to the scene next morning but did no good. The explosion was heard about 1:45 o'clock a. m. and an alarm was sounded, but the thieves were not seen. The money was in currency, silver and gold. The bank has a capital stock of \$15,000 and is unusually strong for its size. It has \$12,500 burglar insurance in force, fully protecting it against loss. One report is that the burglars, prior to robbing the bank, stole some barbed wire from a store and built a barricade all about the bank building to guard against possible surprise.

The president of the bank is Edman Rice and D. D. Byrd is cashier.

Things to Worry About.
There are women carpenters in the town.

How's This?
Hudon offers One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Remedy.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials are free. Price 15 cents per bottle. Sold everywhere.

Since he killed passenger agent Southern Pacific Cal., three weeks ago, a young amateur hunter, he says he has not had rest since, he is Hamill of Los Angeles.

Thaw is boarding in Concord, N. H. guard. He goes and is a popular smoker nor drinks behavior while awaiting commission to pass his health is good, mind bright. He miles a day and no is not perfectly sane.

Oscar W. Underwood in Birmingham says prices of men's clothing will tend to rise to the Age-Herald.

"I have heard," said Wood, "that many are only \$2 or \$3 worth hard to see, if this an hour we hung beneath the shadows of the cliff, 'Twas twilight on the placid lake, we high prices should be paid not the tiller, love, this seat of mine is wide, 'Ah! would the stern were wide enough for if brought to book, just steer,' and to my prayers her tress-es waved away, 'Oh, no,' she said, 'I would not dare; row have to answer like sandwich vender."

"Mark Twain, after ter for a wretched side eating bar, said:

"Why on earth has me for this miserable its real worth?"

"Well, the fact is, der replied, 'I need th

Death Rate.
bulletin issued by the health shows 'I mad-ly cried, 'But come, mind not the married mother on you may, But I must steer,' and to my prayers Her tress-es waved me

AMUSEMENTS.

No play of recent years has created as much discussion as has been aroused by "Fine Feathers", the newest drama by Eugene Walter, which H. H. Frazee presented for an entire season in New York and Chicago, and which will be seen here at Holland's opera House Jan. 2.

Although every dramatic critic pronounced it the biggest play of the day, each reviewer treated the play from a different angle. One saw in it a serious preachment against the advanced cost and standard of living; another regarded it as a lesson about the feminine desire for better clothes than the husband can afford to provide; still another saw in it an overwhelming argument against the encroachment of graft while others treated it as an irresistible illustration of the eternal law of compensation.

Advertisement.

Wallace to Wartrace.

Wartrace, Tenn., Dec. 31.—Wartrace is to have a weekly newspaper, which is to present its first issue on or about January 15. F. O. Wallace, late of Hopkinsville, will be owner and editor. The paper will be eight-page, all-home-print and independent. Mr. Wallace is a newspaper man of life-long experience and came to a good field in the best section of Middle Tennessee to establish his new enterprise. The citizens are much elated over this much needed institution and have promised substantial support.

For Frost Bites and Chapped Hands.

For frost bitten ears, fingers and toes; chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, there is nothing to equal Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Stops the pain at once and heals quickly. In every home there should be a box handy all the time. Best remedy for all skin diseases, itching eczema, tetter, piles, etc. 25c. All druggists or by mail. H. S. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.—Advertisement

JUDGE W. S. PRYOR IS SERIOUSLY ILL.

Aged Jurist Is Confined To His Bed With The Grip.

New Castle, Ky., Dec. 31.—Judge W. S. Pryor, former Chief Justice of the Appellate Court, is seriously ill at his home here with the grip. Judge Pryor is nearly ninety years old, and, owing to his advanced age, his family is much worried over his illness.

Mrs. Laban Phelps, of Louisville, his daughter, arrived here this morning, but Mrs. Abe Sanford, another daughter, is in the South, where her husband is ill.

Dividend Notice.

The directors of the City Bank & Trust Co. have this day declared the regular 5 per cent dividend for the semi-annual period ending Dec. 31st, 1913, and also an extra special dividend of 5 per cent, both payable on January 1st, 1914.

IRA L. SMITH, Cashier.
Dec. 30, 1913.
Advertisement.

Death Near Fruit Hill.

Mrs. Persadia A. West, wife of Mr. William W. West, of near Fruit Hill, died at her home Monday. She had been ill for some time, suffering from a complication of diseases. She was a most excellent christian lady and leaves many friends.

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Goods Before Buying Your
Xmas Presents.

M. D. KELLY
The Old Reliable Jeweler

SILVER WEDDING

Of Dr. and Mrs. Calvin M. Thompson a Joyous Event.

The silver wedding anniversary celebration of Rev. C. M. Thompson and wife at the First Baptist church, Tuesday night, drew a large crowd of church member and an interesting program was carried out, consisting of music and addresses. Speeches were made by Messrs. W. T. Tandy, Bailay Waller and others. The silver offerings aggregating \$140 were presented to Dr. Thompson by Mr. Tandy, who presided. Dr. Thompson responded in an appropriate speech.

Following the conclusion of the program, cake and brick ices were served by the ladies to the several hundred people present. The fund raised is to present Dr. Thompson with a trip.

DEATH OF MINISTER.

Rev. Hillstren Passes Away At Marion, O.

Mr. Geo. M. Clark received a telegram Tuesday, informing him of the death of Rev. C. W. Hillstren at his home in Marion, O. No particulars were contained in the message. Rev. Hillstren was for several years pastor of the Universalist Church in this city. He moved to Ohio about two years ago. He made many friends during his stay here and the announcement of his death will cause much sorrow. His wife and one child survive.

Meeting of W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Methodist Church at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Marriage Licenses.

Tuesday marriage license was issued to Miss Daisy Gilkey and Mr. J. B. Chapman.

XMAS EATS

You can't imagine the good things we have to offer without a visit to our store. Things that should not be omitted from your order:

- 1 Gal. N. O. Molasses.
- 1 Fernell Plum Pudding.
- 1 Bottle Burnett Extract.
- 1 lb. "Seal Brand" C. & S. Coffee.
- 1 Can Fernell Asparagus.
- 2 lbs. Mince Meat.

This is only a starter on the hundreds of good things we have to offer you. Don't forget your ingredients for FRUIT CAKE.

W. T. Cooper & Co.

Useful Zinc.

The simplest way to clean out the soot from a stove pipe, or a stove—or a chimney—is to take a small piece of zinc, place it in the stove while a good fire is burning. Soon the stove is relieved of the accumulation of soot. For a chimney, place the zinc in the fire, and soon the chimney is entirely cleaned by the chemical action of the zinc on the soot.—Home Department, in National Magazine for December.

An Ideal Woman's Laxative.

Who wants to take salts, or castor oil, when there is nothing better than Dr. King's New Life Pills for all bowel troubles. They act gently and naturally on the stomach and liver, stimulate and regulate your bowels and tone up the entire system. Price, 25c. At all Druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.—Advertisement.

New Masonic Officers.

Last Saturday night the Masonic lodge elected the following officers for the ensuing term:
C. P. Ashby, W. M.
J. C. Haydon, S. W.
E. E. Walpole, J. W.
Joe McCarroll, Jr., Treasurer.
E. C. Frye, Secretary.
J. A. Orange, S. D.
J. W. Pursley, J. D.
Ike Hart, Steward.
L. W. Guthrie, Steward.
W. R. Pauley, Marshal.
J. W. Carlons, Chaplain.
W. H. Ryan, Tyler.

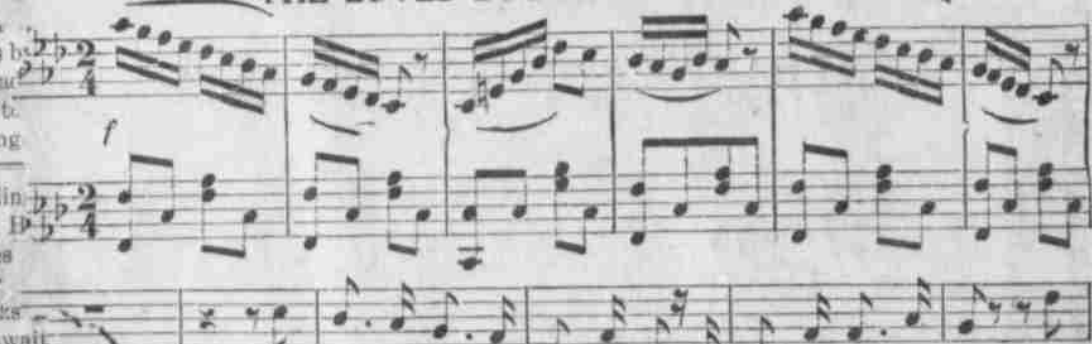
DR. BEAZLEY Specialist (Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat)

Daily Thought.
There is no duty we so much underrate as the duty of being happy.
R. L. Stevenson.

TOO LIGHT JUST NOW

(Beim Sonnenuntergang)

A Very Loving Song, Sung by Mildred Joyce of
Allegretto. THE LOVES LOTTERY CO.



1. 'Twas twi-light on the pla-cid lake, for two were on the skiff, And
2. "Ah! would the stern were wide enough for two," I mad-ly cried, "But
3. "Oh, no," said she, "I would not dare; row fur-ther on you may, But

